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Bangladeshis Pushed into Jammu**5819. SHRI C.P. MUDALAGIRIYAPPA:****Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

(a) whether Pakistan Rangers have been pushing Bangladeshis in various groups into Jammu areas from across the border;

(b) if so, the number of such Bangladeshis who have crossed the border;

(c) whether some of them have been apprehended; and

(d) if so, the details thereof along with the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI M.M. JACOB): (a) There are no confirmed reports of Pakistani rangers having been pushing Bangladeshis into Jammu areas from across the border.

(b) to (d). Does not arise.

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Post Offices in Village Panchayats of Ranchi in Bihar**5820. SHRI RAM TAHAL CH- OUDHARY:** Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the facility of post Office is available in every village panchayat of Ranchi district in Bihar;

(b) if so, the total number of post offices functioning in Ranchi; and

(c) if not, the reasons for not setting up post offices in every village panchayat so far?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI RAJESH PILOT): (a) No. Sir.

(b) and (c) The total number of post offices functioning in Ranchi district as on 1.7.91 is 341 which includes two Head post Offices, 59 sub post Offices, 7 E.D. Sub post Offices and 273 E.D. Branch Post Offices. proposal for setting up post offices in those village panchayats where post offices are not already functioning shall be sent by Chief Postmaster General, Bihar Circle in due course depending upon justification and the over all target for opening of post offices allotted to Bihar Circle.

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Extraction of Bauxite in Madhya Pradesh**5821. SHRI RAMESHWAR PATIDAR:** Will the Minister MINES be pleased to state:

(a) the quantity of bauxite extracted in Madhya Pradesh during each of the last three years;

(b) the countries to which it was exported and the foreign exchange earned therefrom during the above period, year-wise;

(c) whether the Government have formulated any scheme for the welfare of the people living in the areas where bauxite is located in Madhya Pradesh; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF MINES (SHRI BALRAM SINGH YADAV): (a) The quantity of bauxite mined in Madhya Pradesh during the last three years is given below:

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| 1988 | — | 5,66,000 tonnes |
| 1989 | — | 4,86,000 tonnes |
| 1990 | — | 5, 26,000 tonnes |

(b) Bauxite mined in Madhya Pradesh is not exported.

(c) No, Sir. Such measures are usually taken up by the mine owners.

(d) Does not arise.

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Subsidy to Compensate Losses Suffered in Sikara, House Boat Business in Kashmir

5822. SHRI RAMESHWAR PATIDAR:
 Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are providing subsidy to compensate the losses being suffered in the business of Sikara, House-boat as well as by the industry and trade in Kashmir due to decrease in inflow of tourists after the beginning of the secessionist movement;

(b) if so, the amount provided as subsidy so far;

(c) whether such subsidies are being provided to the people of Jammu and Ladakh also; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI M.M. JACOB): (a) to (d). The details are awaited from the Government of Jammu and Kashmir.

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New Group Centers in CRPF

5823. PROF. RASA SINGH RAWAT:
 Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government had decided to set up new Group Centres in the Central Reserve Police force Keeping in view the internal situation of the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the number of Group Centres set up in accordance with that decision so far and the time by which the rest are likely to be set up?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI M.M. JACOB): (a) No, Sir. A proposal has been received for setting up new Group Centres in CRPF. The proposal is being examined.

(b) and (c). Does not arise since no decision has so far been taken.

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Waiting List for Telephone Connections in Hathras and Aligarh Districts of U.P.

5824. DR. LAL BAHADUR RAWAL: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of the persons on the waiting list for telephone connections in Hathras and Aligarh Districts of Uttar Pradesh from 1988 till date, category-wise;

(b) the time by which all the applicants are likely to be provided with telephone connections;